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Esq. and Thomas Taylor, Esq. have likewise made liberal donations in money, provisions, and coals to the general inmates of the same prison. * * *

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE.—The shipwrecks, that took place during the month of December on the coasts of Wales, form a melancholy feature under this head. Five vessels appear to have been lost during that month, four on the coast of South Wales, and the other between Barnsley Island and Pencilian, Carnarvonshire. And in the latter instance six out of seven persons, the whole number of the crew, unhappily perished in their attempt to gain shore in the boat after the vessel had been driven amongst some rocks in the neighbourhood.—On the 19th of December the Bishop of Bangor held a public Ordination, when David Williams, A.B., John Jones, A.B., and Thomas Jones, clerk, were ordained priests, and Edward Williams, A.B., John Prichard, A.B., and Thomas Stacey were ordained deacons.—The Montgomeryshire Yeomanry Cavalry, commanded by C.W. W. Wynn, Esq., M.P. has recently received an accession of two new troops, whereby the whole force of this respectable corps now consists of six troops.—The Royal Maelor Regiment of Flintshire Yeomanry has also been augmented by the addition of two troops, which have chiefly been raised by the active exertions of Lord Kenyon, whose loyal zeal in the cause of his country, upon all occasions that call for it, cannot be too highly applauded.—Lord Milford has made an offer to his Royal Highness the Prince Regent to add a third troop of Yeomanry Cavalry to those already under his Lordship's command in the county of Pembroke. —The Denbighshire Subscription, for encreasing the yeomanry force of the county, established in consequence of a meeting noticed in the last Number of the CAMBRO-BRITON, amounts to about 1300*l.*—On the 9th of January the Bishop of St. Asaph held a public Ordination, when Thomas Lewis Hughes, A.M., George Cunliffe, A.B., and George Redavay Matthews were admitted into the holy order of Priests.—A CYMERIGYDDION Society has lately been instituted at Liverpool, to co-operate with the other Societies so laudably established for the preservation and promotion of the Welsh language and literature. The Society had their anniversary dinner on the 3d ult., when James Butler Clough, Esq. as Honorary President, was in the chair. * * *

LITERATURE.—The following works, in addition to those

noticed in the preceding Numbers, are now in the course of publication or contemplated.

The Rev. WALTER DAVIES, of Manafon, Montgomeryshire, has recently prspared for the press the first complete edition of the POEMS of HUW MORUS, which will speedily be published at Wrexham.

[The merited estimation, in which the productions of this poet have ever been holden, together with the Editor's acknowleged ability for the undertaking, cannot fail to ensure to this work an ample share of patronage among the lovers of Welsh poetry. As a song-writer Huw Morus has generally been considered unrivalled.]

A WELSH TRANSLATION of the Works of JOSEPHUS, which has been published in Numbers at DOLGELLAU, will soon be completed.

A new Quarto Edition of the BIBLE, in WELSH, with the Annotations of the late Rev. Peter Williams, is in the course of publication at Carmarthen.

PROPOSALS are now in circulation for publishing by subscription Y DILIW, being a Welsh Epic Poem on the Deluge, by Mr. DAVID RICHARDS (*Dafydd Ionawr*), the price of each copy to be 4s. and the work to be put to press as soon as subscriptions have been secured for 200 copies.

[As the merits of this author have, for a long time, been well known to the public, it is confidently hoped, that he will meet with such patronage, as will not only enable him to defray the expences of publication, but also be a just remuneration for devoting a long life and eminent talents to the cause of Welsh literature.]

Can any of the readers of the CAMBRO-BRITON inform the Editor, whether a Welsh MS. Translation of Aristotle's Metaphysics, by the celebrated Dr. John David Rhys, is any where in existence? The learned Doctor certainly contemplated such a work with a view to establish the capacity of the Welsh tongue for expressing the most subtile operations of the mind: and WOOD, in his *Athenæ Oxonienses*, mentions, that the translation was actually deposited amongst the MSS. in Jesus College Library at Oxford. ***

OBITUARY.

DECEMBER 23.—John Martin, Esq. of Withybush, Pembrokeshire, much respected and regretted.—After a long illness, John Philips Langhorne, Esq. of Orlandon, Pembrokeshire, deeply